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November 13, 2007

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

Board of Supervisors

GLORIA MOLINA
First District

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Second District

ZEV YAROSLAVSKY
Third District

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Fourth District

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Fifth District

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS: TRAFFIC SIGNAL
SYNCHRONIZATION PROGRAM
CITIES OF BELL, CLAREMONT, COMMERCE, COVINA, PASADENA,
REDONDO BEACH, AND WHITTIER
CITY--COUNTY COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS
(SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS 1, 4, AND 5)
(3 VOTES)**

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

Approve and authorize the Director of Public Works or his designee to execute the Cooperative Agreements between the Cities of Bell, Claremont, Commerce, Covina, Pasadena, Redondo Beach, Whittier, and the County of Los Angeles to participate in the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program. Each agreement describes the roles and responsibilities of each City and the County in carrying out traffic signal synchronization projects on the stated arterials.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of the recommended action is to formalize the roles and responsibilities associated with the operation of traffic signals upon completion of the Department of Public Works' traffic signal synchronization construction projects.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

The Countywide Strategic Plan directs that we provide Service Excellence (Goal 1) as the clarification of roles and responsibilities for traffic signal synchronization projects will improve efficiency, quality, and responsiveness of County transportation services to all residents.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

There will be no impact to the County General Fund.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The attached agreements, which have been approved as to form by County Counsel, provide for the Cities of Bell, Claremont, Commerce, Covina, Pasadena, Redondo Beach, Whittier, and the County of Los Angeles to adhere to stated responsibilities involved in Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (TSSP) projects.

Since 1988, the Department of Public Works has administered TSSP projects, which have provided a means to coordinate synchronization between arterials of regional significance. TSSP projects improve traffic signal operation by upgrading each traffic signal to Federal and State standards. With each project, we typically install additional vehicle detection to enable each intersection to operate as a fully traffic actuated signalized intersection. In addition, appropriate components are also installed to enable each signal to utilize time-based coordination resulting in the synchronization of a series of signals along an arterial route. These improvements have provided congestion relief and substantially increased mobility through reduced travel times.

The intent of these agreements is to document the roles and responsibilities of each City and the County when entering into TSSP projects and to confirm the associated liabilities of each agency. Nothing in these agreements will alter the current roles and responsibilities of the County and the Cities in operating and maintaining the traffic signals and signal systems within their respective jurisdiction.

ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

In accordance with Section 15378(b)(4) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, approval of the recommended action does not constitute a project and, hence, is not subject to the requirements of CEQA.

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IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

There will be no impact on current County services or projects during the performance of the recommended services.

CONCLUSION

Please return one adopted copy of this letter to the Department of Public Works, Traffic and Lighting Division. After final approval by our Director of Public Works, we will provide you with fully executed original copies for your files.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William T. Fujioka", with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

WILLIAM T FUJIOKA
Chief Executive Officer

WTF:DLW
WJW:pc

Attachments (7)

c: County Counsel (Warren Wellen)

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF BELL, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Atlantic Avenue from Randolph Street to Florence Avenue, Eastern Avenue from Bandini Boulevard to Mansfield Way, Gage Avenue from Salt Lake Avenue to 710 Freeway, Bandini Boulevard from the western city boundary to the eastern city boundary, and Florence Avenue from California Avenue to 710 Freeway, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY are each responsible for their jurisdictional portion of the operation and maintenance of the traffic signals and signal systems along each of the ARTERIALS;

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY have previously cooperated, in carrying out traffic signal synchronization projects on ARTERIALS; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CITY desire to memorialize their understanding regarding their relative rights, obligations, and duties with respect to the TSSP.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual benefits to be derived by CITY and COUNTY and of the promises herein contained, it is hereby agreed as follows:

(1) CITY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of CITY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals within CITY's jurisdiction.
- b. To be responsible for maintaining the basic traffic signal timing for the intersections within the jurisdictional boundary of CITY.
- c. To maintain the traffic signal coordination timing along ARTERIALS to promote coordinated traffic operations, multi jurisdictional cooperation and improve arterial traffic conditions and to make the COUNTY aware of any changes implemented to the coordination timing that may impact the coordination of the traffic signals along the ARTERIALS.

- d. To accept full and complete ownership of, responsibility for, and to maintain in good condition and at CITY expense all improvements constructed through individual TSSP Projects within CITY'S JURISDICTION, including the timing of traffic signals on ARTERIALS that supports coordination timing and optimum synchronization of traffic signals on ARTERIALS.
- e. To cooperate with COUNTY and provide requested information in a reasonable and timely fashion in connection with COUNTY'S preparation of an annual report for the MTA as referred to in Paragraph (2)c. below.

(2) COUNTY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of COUNTY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals and signal systems within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. As a part of construction of individual TSSP Projects, to develop and implement the traffic signal coordination timing along the ARTERIALS that will improve arterial traffic conditions and traffic flow thereby saving motorists time and improving air quality.
- c. To file routine reports with the MTA on the efficiency of these Traffic Signal Synchronization Projects, by compiling an operational status from individual cities along the ARTERIALS.

(3) IT IS MUTUALLY UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

- a. This AGREEMENT does not constitute any financial commitment between the CITY and COUNTY.
- b. The term of this AGREEMENT shall commence on the date it is approved by the Board of Supervisors and shall continue until any party terminates it upon thirty (30) days prior written notice.
- c. Any correspondence, communication, or contact concerning this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the following:

CITY: Mr. Robert Rizzo
Chief Administrative Officer
City of Bell
6330 Pine Avenue
Bell, CA 90201

Attention Mr. Luis Ramirez, Deputy City Engineer

COUNTY: Mr. William Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

- d. Neither COUNTY nor any officer or employee of COUNTY shall be responsible for any damage or liability occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to, assumed by, or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT. It is also understood and agreed that, pursuant to Government Code, Section 895.4, CITY shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold COUNTY harmless from any liability imposed for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT. Where liability for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) is sought to be imposed under Section 830, et seq., of the Government Code for a dangerous condition of property owned by or under the control of CITY, CITY shall fully defend, indemnify, and hold COUNTY harmless from any and all liability arising from such dangerous condition.
- e. Neither CITY nor any officer or employee of CITY shall be responsible for any damage or liability occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of COUNTY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of COUNTY under this AGREEMENT. It is also understood and agreed that, pursuant to Government Code, Section 895.4, COUNTY shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold CITY harmless from any liability imposed for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of COUNTY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of COUNTY under this AGREEMENT.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their respective officers, duly authorized, by the CITY OF BELL on June 4, 2007, and by the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES on _____, 2007.

ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

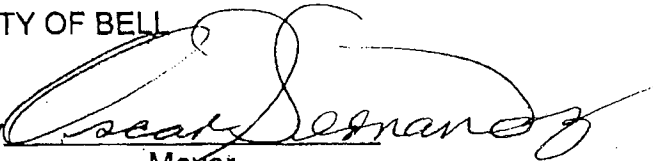
By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

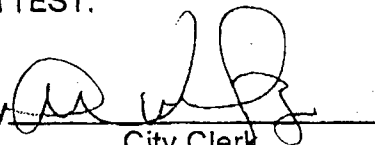
RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By 
Deputy

CITY OF BELL

By 
Mayor

ATTEST:

By 
City Clerk

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF CLAREMONT, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Baseline Road from Live Oak Canyon Road to Monte Vista Avenue, Indian Hill Boulevard from Foothill Boulevard to American Avenue, and Arrow Highway from Marywood Avenue to Mills Avenue, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY are each responsible for their jurisdictional portion of the operation and maintenance of the traffic signals and signal systems along each of the ARTERIALS;

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY have previously cooperated, in carrying out traffic signal synchronization projects on ARTERIALS; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CITY desire to memorialize their understanding regarding their relative rights, obligations, and duties with respect to the TSSP.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual benefits to be derived by CITY and COUNTY and of the promises herein contained, it is hereby agreed as follows:

(1) CITY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of CITY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. To be responsible for maintaining the basic traffic signal timing for the intersections within the jurisdictional boundary of CITY.
- c. To maintain the traffic signal coordination timing along ARTERIALS to promote coordinated traffic operations, multi jurisdictional cooperation and improve arterial traffic conditions and to make the COUNTY aware of any changes implemented to the coordination timing that may impact the coordination of the traffic signals along the ARTERIALS.
- d. To accept full and complete ownership of, responsibility for, and to maintain in good condition and at CITY expense all improvements constructed through individual TSSP Projects within CITY'S jurisdiction, including the timing of traffic signals on ARTERIALS that supports coordination timing

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- e. To cooperate with COUNTY and provide requested information in a reasonable and timely fashion in connection with COUNTY'S preparation of an annual report for the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) as referred to in Paragraph (2)c. below.

(2) COUNTY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of COUNTY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals and signal systems within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. As a part of construction of individual TSSP projects, to develop and implement the traffic signal coordination timing along the ARTERIALS that will improve arterial traffic conditions and traffic flow thereby saving motorists time and improving air quality.
- c. To file routine reports with the Metro on the efficiency of these Traffic Signal Synchronization projects by compiling an operational status from individual cities along the ARTERIALS.

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- c. Any correspondence, communication, or contact concerning this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the following:

CITY: Mr. Craig L. Bradshaw
City Engineer
207 Harvard Avenue
Claremont, CA 91711-4719

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their respective officers, duly authorized, by the CITY OF CLAREMONT on _____, 2007, and by the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES on _____, 2007.


ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By 
Deputy

CITY OF CLAREMONT

By _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

By _____
City Clerk

By _____
City Attorney

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF COMMERCE, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Atlantic Boulevard from Everington Street to Sheila Street, Telegraph Road from Camfield Avenue to Slauson Avenue, Eastern Avenue from Atlantic Boulevard to Mansfield Way, Gage Avenue from Darwell Avenue to Slauson, Bandini Boulevard from Western City boundary to Interstate 5 Freeway, Garfield Avenue from Ferguson Drive to Gage Avenue, and Washington Boulevard from Indiana Street to Yates Avenue, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

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CITY: Mr. Victor San Lucas
Public Works Engineer
City of Commerce
2535 Commerce Way
Commerce, CA 90040

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their respective officers, duly authorized, by the CITY OF COMMERCE on _____, 2007, and by the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES on _____, 2007.

ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By Julia C. Weisman
Deputy

CITY OF COMMERCE

By _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

By _____
City Clerk

By _____
City Attorney

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF COVINA, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Azusa Avenue from Arrow Highway to Grovescenter Street, Citrus Avenue from Arrow Highway to Workman Avenue, Barranca Avenue from Cienega Avenue to Rowland Avenue, Grand Avenue from Arrow Highway to Rowland Avenue, Arrow Highway from Enid Avenue to Grand Avenue, Badillo Street from Lark Ellen Avenue to Cypress Street, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

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CITY: Mr. Steve Henley
Director of Public Works
City of Covina
125 East College Street
Covina, CA 91723-2199

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

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ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By Julia C. Weisman
Deputy

CITY OF COVINA

By _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

By _____
City Clerk

By _____
City Attorney

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF PASADENA, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Lake Avenue from Washington Boulevard to Del Mar Boulevard, Del Mar Boulevard from Orange Grove Boulevard to San Gabriel Boulevard, Fair Oaks Avenue from Montana Street to Glenarm Street, Allen Avenue from Washington Boulevard to Homet Road, San Gabriel Boulevard/Sierra Madre Boulevard from California Boulevard to Michillinda Avenue, Arroyo Parkway from Green Street to Glenarm Street, Colorado Boulevard from Orange Grove Boulevard to Halstead Street, and Orange Grove Boulevard/Rosemead Boulevard from Holly Street to Hastings Ranch Drive, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

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CITY: Mr. Dan Rix
City Engineer
City of Pasadena
117 East Colorado Boulevard
P.O. Box 7115
Pasadena, CA 91109-7215

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

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ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By Julia C. Weissman
Deputy

CITY OF PASADENA

By _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

By _____
City Clerk

By _____
City Attorney

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF REDONDO BEACH, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Hawthorne Boulevard from Redondo Beach Boulevard to 190th Street, Camino Real from Prospect Avenue to Knob Hill Avenue, Artesia Boulevard from Ford Avenue to Hawthorne Boulevard, Inglewood Avenue from Marine Avenue to Artesia Boulevard, 190th (Anita) Street from Pacific Coast Highway to Hawthorne Boulevard, Torrance Boulevard from Pacific Coast Highway to Prospect Avenue, Marine Avenue from Aviation Boulevard to Inglewood Avenue, Aviation Boulevard from Marine Avenue to Ford Avenue, and Manhattan Beach Boulevard from Aviation Boulevard to Inglewood Avenue, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY are each responsible for their jurisdictional portion of the operation and maintenance of the traffic signals and signal systems along each of the ARTERIALS; and

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY have previously cooperated, in carrying out traffic signal synchronization projects on ARTERIALS; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CITY desire to memorialize their understanding regarding their relative rights, obligations, and duties with respect to the TSSP.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual benefits to be derived by CITY and COUNTY and of the promises herein contained, it is hereby agreed as follows:

(1) CITY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of CITY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. To be responsible for maintaining the basic traffic signal timing for the intersections within the jurisdictional boundary of CITY.
- c. To maintain the traffic signal coordination timing along ARTERIALS to promote coordinated traffic operations, multi jurisdictional cooperation and improve arterial traffic conditions and to make the COUNTY aware of any changes implemented to the coordination timing that may impact the coordination of the traffic signals along the ARTERIALS.

- d. To accept full and complete ownership of, responsibility for, and to maintain in good condition and at CITY expense all improvements constructed through individual TSSP Projects within CITY'S jurisdiction, including the timing of traffic signals on ARTERIALS that supports coordination timing and optimum synchronization of traffic signals on ARTERIALS.
- e. To cooperate with COUNTY and provide requested information in a reasonable and timely fashion in connection with COUNTY'S preparation of an annual report for the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) as referred to in Paragraph (2)c. below.

(2) COUNTY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of COUNTY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals and signal systems within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. As a part of construction of individual TSSP Projects, to develop and implement the traffic signal coordination timing along the ARTERIALS that will improve arterial traffic conditions and traffic flow thereby saving motorists time and improving air quality.
- c. To file routine reports with the Metro on the efficiency of these Traffic Signal Synchronization projects by compiling an operational status from individual cities along the ARTERIALS.

(3) IT IS MUTUALLY UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

- a. This AGREEMENT does not constitute any financial commitment between the CITY and COUNTY.
- b. The term of this AGREEMENT shall commence on the date it is approved by the Board of Supervisors and shall continue until any party terminates it upon thirty (30) days prior written notice.
- c. Any correspondence, communication, or contact concerning this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the following:

CITY: Mr. Steve Huang
City Engineer
City of Redondo Beach
P.O. Box 270
415 Diamond Street, CA 90277-0270

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

- d. Neither COUNTY nor any officer or employee of COUNTY shall be responsible for any damage or liability occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to, assumed by, or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT. It is also understood and agreed that, pursuant to Government Code, Section 895.4, CITY shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold COUNTY harmless from any liability imposed for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT.
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their respective officers, duly authorized, by the CITY OF REDONDO BEACH on _____, 2007, and by the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES on _____, 2007.

ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RAYMOND G. FORTNER, JR.
County Counsel

By Julia C. Weisman
Deputy

CITY OF REDONDO BEACH

By _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

By _____
City Clerk

By _____
City Attorney

A G R E E M E N T

This AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the CITY OF WHITTIER, a municipal corporation in the County of Los Angeles, hereinafter referred to as CITY, and the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as COUNTY:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, Colima Road from Mar Vista Street to Lambert Road, and Painter Avenue from Hadley Street to Mystic Street, hereinafter referred to as ARTERIALS, are roadways that are or will soon become a part of the County's Traffic Signal Synchronization Program (hereinafter referred to as TSSP); and

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY are each responsible for their jurisdictional portion of the operation and maintenance of the traffic signals and signal systems along each of the ARTERIALS;

WHEREAS, CITY and COUNTY have previously cooperated, in carrying out traffic signal synchronization projects on ARTERIALS; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CITY desire to memorialize their understanding regarding their relative rights, obligations, and duties with respect to the TSSP.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual benefits to be derived by CITY and COUNTY and of the promises herein contained, it is hereby agreed as follows:

(1) CITY AGREES:

- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of CITY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals within CITY's jurisdiction.
- b. To be responsible for maintaining the basic traffic signal timing for the intersections within the jurisdictional boundary of CITY.
- c. To maintain the traffic signal coordination timing along ARTERIALS to promote coordinated traffic operations, multi jurisdictional cooperation and improve arterial traffic conditions and to make the COUNTY aware of any changes implemented to the coordination timing that may impact the coordination of the traffic signals along the ARTERIALS.
- d. To accept full and complete ownership of, responsibility for, and to maintain in good condition and at CITY expense all improvements constructed through individual TSSP Projects within CITY'S jurisdiction, including the timing of traffic signals on ARTERIALS that supports coordination timing and optimum synchronization of traffic signals on ARTERIALS.

- e. To cooperate with COUNTY and provide requested information in a reasonable and timely fashion in connection with COUNTY'S preparation of an annual report for the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) as referred to in Paragraph (2)c. below.

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- a. Nothing in this AGREEMENT shall be construed as changing the role of COUNTY in operating and maintaining the traffic signals and signal systems within CITY'S jurisdiction.
- b. As a part of construction of individual TSSP Projects, to develop and implement the traffic signal coordination timing along the ARTERIALS that will improve arterial traffic conditions and traffic flow thereby saving motorists time and improving air quality.
- c. To file routine reports with the Metro on the efficiency of these Traffic Signal Synchronization Projects by compiling an operational status from individual cities along the ARTERIALS.

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- c. Any correspondence, communication, or contact concerning this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the following:

CITY: Steve Helvey
City Manager
City of Whittier
13230 E. Penn Street
Whittier, CA 90602-1772

COUNTY: Mr. William J. Winter
Assistant Deputy Director
Traffic and Lighting Division
County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works
P.O. Box 1460
Alhambra, CA 91802-1460

d. Neither COUNTY nor any officer or employee of COUNTY shall be responsible for any damage or liability occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to, assumed by, or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT. It is also understood and agreed that, pursuant to Government Code, Section 895.4, CITY shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold COUNTY harmless from any liability imposed for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of CITY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of CITY under this AGREEMENT. Where liability for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) is sought to be imposed under Section 830, et seq., of the Government Code for a dangerous condition of property owned by or under the control of CITY, CITY shall fully defend, indemnify, and hold COUNTY harmless from any and all liability arising from such dangerous condition.

e. Neither CITY nor any officer or employee of CITY shall be responsible for any damage or liability occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of COUNTY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of COUNTY under this AGREEMENT. It is also understood and agreed that, pursuant to Government Code, Section 895.4, COUNTY shall fully indemnify, defend, and hold CITY harmless from any liability imposed for injury (as defined by Government Code, Section 810.8) occurring by reason of any act or omission on the part of COUNTY under or in connection with any work, authority, or jurisdiction delegated to or determined to be the responsibility of COUNTY under this AGREEMENT.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT to be executed by their respective officers, duly authorized, by the CITY OF WHITTIER on _____, 2007, and by the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES on _____, 2007.

ATTEST:

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

By _____
Director of Public Works

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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